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### NEW SPRINKLER SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED AT BASE GOLF COURSE

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**KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE, N.M.** – Construction on a new sprinkler system at the base golf course, Tijeras Arroyo, began Monday. Work will be done on nine holes at a time, so only nine holes will be open for play. Work will start on the opposite nine holes as soon as work finishes on the first side. The construction is expected to last about 120 days.

Hours of operation will not be affected by the work. However, it will affect tee time availability and the number of golfers that can play on a given day. To accommodate more tee times, there will be shotgun starts on weekends and holidays.

The sprinkler system is being replaced due to the age of the old system.

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